

**Modern Conveniences.**  
The Abilene Democrat tells of a man who stopped over night in a small town near there and registered at the hotel pointed out to him by the conductor as the best in town. In the morning he wanted to take a bath and consulted the proprietor about it. The proprietor pointed back to the rear: "Here, Tom, this here gent wants to take a bath. Bring the fixin's." Tom soon appeared, carrying a cake of yellow soap, a towel and a pick. "What's the pick for?" asked the guest. "Why," said the proprietor, "you'll have to dam up the creek."—Kansas City Star.

**THE MARKETS.**

New York, Aug. 18.

CATTLE—Native Steers	4.90	5.05
COTTON—Middling	12.75	12.85
WHEAT—Winter Wheat	3.75	4.00
FLOUR—No. 2 Red	87.50	88.50
CORN—No. 2	50.00	50.50
OATS—No. 2	35.00	35.50
PORK—Mess	15.25	15.50

ST. LOUIS.

COTTON—Middling	12.75	12.85
BEEVES—Steers	4.00	5.50
Cows and Heifers	2.25	4.25
CALVES—per 100 lbs.	5.00	5.75
HOGS—Fair to Choice	5.25	5.50
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3.25	3.75
FLOUR—Patents	4.00	4.25
Other Grades	3.25	3.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	82.00	82.50
CORN—No. 2	48.00	48.50
OATS—No. 2	34.00	34.50
RYE—No. 2	24.00	24.50
Wool—Washed	12.00	12.50
Other Grades	11.00	11.50
HAY—Clear Timothy	9.00	10.00
BUTTER—Choice Dairy	13.00	14.00
BACON—Clear Rib	14.00	15.00
PORK—Fresh	14.00	15.00
LARD—Choice	12.00	12.50
PORK—Standard Mess	13.00	13.50

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Native Steers	4.50	5.40
HOGS—Fair to Choice	5.00	5.25
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3.25	3.75
FLOUR—Winter Patents	4.25	4.50
Spring Patents	4.50	4.75
WHEAT—No. 3 Spring	78.00	82.00
No. 2 Red	80.00	85.00
CORN—No. 2	48.00	48.50
OATS—No. 2	34.00	34.50
PORK—Mess	12.50	13.00

KANSAS CITY.

CATTLE—Native Steers	4.50	5.40
HOGS—Fair to Choice	4.75	5.25
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3.25	3.75
FLOUR—No. 2 Red	87.50	88.50
CORN—No. 2 Mixed	45.00	46.00
OATS—No. 2 White	33.00	34.00

NEW ORLEANS.

FLOUR—High Grades	4.00	4.25
CORN—No. 2	40.00	41.00
OATS—No. 2	30.00	31.00
HAY—Choice	18.00	19.00
PORK—Standard Mess	14.00	15.00
BACON—Short Rib Sides	14.00	15.00
COTTON—Middling	12.75	12.85

LOUISVILLE.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red	80.00	81.75
CORN—No. 2	50.00	51.25
OATS—No. 2	34.00	35.25
BACON—Short Rib	14.00	15.25

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—N. Y. Times.

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**A Lack of Coincidence.**—Downer—"I am glad it is good form not to wear a watch with a dress suit." Upper—"Why?" Downer—"Because I never have my watch and my dress suit at the same time."—Pick Me Up.

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**A Little Of.**  
A local artist of note tells an amusing story of his visit to an insane asylum in this state. Spending as much time as he could visiting an inmate, he started down the stairs on his way to catch the train back to the city.  
At the foot of the stairs stood a large clock. Taking out his own watch to compare the time, he found there was a difference of several minutes. Turning to the doorkeeper, a young Irishman, he inquired if the clock was right.  
"Right!" said the doorkeeper. "Do you think it would be here if it was right?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

**A German Farmer's Case.**  
Rich Fountain, Mo., Aug. 17th.—Rev. Jos. Pope, of this place, is widely and favorably known as a clergyman who has done and is doing much for his people. He is very much beloved by everyone for the faithfulness of his pastoral work.  
Rev. Mr. Pope has given for publication a statement made to him by a German farmer, who is a member of his congregation. The man's name is George Hoellerer, and he has given Rev. Mr. Pope this letter:  
"Last winter I suffered very much with Rheumatism. I could neither walk nor ride on horse back nor do any farm work. I took medicine from different doctors, but they did not do me any good. Then I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills procured for me by a good friend. After I had taken the first box I felt already a heap better; I was relieved of the pain and could walk and chop wood; and the contraction of my fingers began to resolve.  
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"But I thought they had everything that was fashionable."  
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Occupation is the myth of time.—Napoleon.

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